



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

On re the Application of) Examiner: Joanne Hama
Mitchell Weiss et al.) Art Unit: 1632
Serial No. 10/824,448) File Ref: CHOP.0189US
Filed: April 14, 2004)
For: "Alpha-Hemoglobin)
Stabilizing Protein)
Transgenic Mouse and)
Methods of Use Thereof")

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Official Action dated May 6, 2005,
please amend the above identified patent application as
follows: